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This Week

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Sixteen Billions a Year.
New Friend, Bacteriophage.
Our Homeless Native Born.
Foolish Boycott.

Have you any idea what crime costs the nation? The total amount is SIXTEEN THOUSAND MILLION DOLLARS A YEAR. There are about one million professional criminals in the country, including the crop of prohibition super criminals.

The Government could pension them all the rate of $16,000 a year each, break even financially and save the lives taken by the criminals. Or the chief criminals could be profitably pensioned at $1,500,000 a year each, leaving plenty for small fry.

It costs the nation $16,000,000,000 to take care of 1,500,000 criminals. And five billions, less than one-third of the crime bill, is the amount spent on 50,000,000 children in their parks, their schools, their playgrounds, and all welfare work.

That's a very nice picture of American civilization.

The word "bacteriophage" that means little now to human beings, may some day mean more than any other word in the language. Discovered by Dr. Felix d'Herelle, who teaches bacteriology at Yale, the bacteriophage substance has the faculty of destroying bacteria throughout the body. The word means "germ eater."

In treating Asiatic cholera with bacteriophage, Dr. d'Herelle lost eight per cent of patients. Of those lacking bacteriophage treatment more than 62 per cent died. Dysentery, which kills millions in hot countries is made harmless by bacteriophage. The new substance is complicated, not thoroughly understood. It develops naturally in the human body as disease dies out and completes the cure. It is probably the most important discovery of many years.

The President soon must write a Thanksgiving proclamation, and is wondering, perhaps, what there is to say.

We cannot be thankful that this nation, with all its slump, still has too much of everything from cotton to money, from sugar to oil, from wheat to coal. Perhaps, if 100,000,000 of us prayed for light on how to distribute the too much we could get rid of our surplus and our depression at the same time.

Unfortunately, civilization has taught us how to grab, each for himself, but not how to distribute.

Those who believe that foreign emigration threatens our nation with a mob of "homeless unemployed" will be interested in statistics concerning 14,000 homeless men in New York's Bowery, questioned about their past and present by the Welfare Council of New York.

They were practically all native born Americans, more than forty years old, unskilled, and without any money.

You would find it hard to gather together 14,000 foreign born of that type.

President Hoover, Secretary Mellon and the financial "best minds" that know something about finance, might consider seriously the possibility of "doing something for silver."

Howard E. Perry, an experienced mining man, says "if a merchant in the Orient wants to buy goods in New York or London, he must cash in five ounces of silver for one ounce of gold, to finance his purchase." These figures will amuse some Americans, whose dull minds refuse to understand the necessity of letting Europe and Asia run the United States Navy.

In obedience to the London treaty, our Navy is about to junk three battleships of the dreadnaught type costing at least $50,000,000 each, two armored cruisers, about 140,000 tons of destroyers, and more than 30,000 tons of submarines. And if war broke out we should instantly begin rebuilding the submarines at highest possible prices.

The British government wants to diminish or eliminate the performances, perfunctory Summery now, at the tomb of the Unknown Soldier, and invites all other nations to do the same. Britain thinks the ceremonies keep alive the war spirit, and make for hardship on visiting statesmen, now expected to buy a wreath and hurry to the tomb on arrival.

The ceremonies that have no meaning might be omitted out of consideration for the unknown dead man. Whoever he may be, he is entitled to rest now, that the war has been over so long.

And the public is tired of nonentities, from abroad, hurrying to the tomb, to use the tomb as an advertisement for themselves.

Rabbi J. X. Cohen, of New York, says there exists an economic boycott against Jews in New York, employers refusing to hire them. In some lines at least the boycott is not a success. Energetic Jews hire themselves and start their own businesses.

The man who needs energy, intelligence and adaptability to changing circumstances injures his own prospects if he refuses to hire Jews.

If the former Kaiser had not excluded Jews from his diplomatic service, thus shutting out information, he might still have a diplomatic service.

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Take The HOME PAPER

Schools To Have Music Supervisor

Mary Booker To Give Vocal Instructions Here And At Pamplin

A supervisor of vocal music in the grades for the Pamplin and Appomattox schools will be employed as soon as arrangements can be made, it was decided at a meeting last Monday afternoon of a committee composed of Mrs. Ned A. Wagers, Miss Kate Franklin, Miss Mildred Kelley, Miss Perizza Coleman, J. A. Burke, the Rev. W. H. Thompson, and L. Crawley.

The supervisor will visit the Pamplin and Appomattox schools once a week giving instructions in choral music, taking each grade separately for that period. Her work will also include working out plans for the work of the classroom teacher with the pupils.

The plan of having music supervision is fostered mainly by the Parent-Teacher Association in co-operation of the county school board and the churches. The school board has appropriated $15 a month towards the salary of the supervisor for the next seven months, and the remainder will be raised by Pamplin and Appomattox organizations. The amount to be raised by each school will be proportioned in ratio to the enrollment.

Interest in the music supervisor plan for the local schools was developed through the aid of Dr. Alfred H. Strick, professor of choral music at Farmville, who is stimulating and encouraging the use of music in the schools of a group of nine counties.

Miss Mary Booker, according to present arrangements, will take the supervisor position this year. Miss Booker is a graduate of the Appomattox High School and of the four year course at Farmville State College, from which she comes highly recommended. She will continue to study under Dr. Strick during her teaching. Miss Booker also gives private instruction in violin music.

Dr. Strick will hold a Music Festival at Farmville this spring which he expects a chorus of seventy-five pupils to attend from the local school.

Teachers Urged To Attend Meeting

All grade school teachers in the county are urged by Superintendent, Jerry A. Burke to attend the meeting of the Virginia Education Association to be held in Richmond, Friday, Nov. 28, beginning at 9:15 o'clock in the morning.

The meeting will open with a discussion on the topic, "One Outstanding Difficulty in Leading in the Upper Grades and Suggested Remedial Measures" with Miss Pearl Pittard, of Roanoke, giving the main address, supplemented by Mrs. Nora Lancaster, Farmville, and S. A. Martinseen, supervisor of Elementary instruction, Petersburg.

Legion Post Has 3 New Members

Post 104 of the American Legion met Tuesday night at the Courthouse with three new members, George Wiley Woolridge, L. H. Goin, and Allan Lucado present.

The second Tuesday in the month was voted as the regular meeting night. W. W. Scott, commandant, made an appeal for the Red Cross at the meeting and secured two memberships. He also announced that the U. D. C. will give crosses of honor to World War veterans having Confederate soldier ancestors.

P. T. A. To Meet

The P. T. A. will meet Friday, Nov. 21 at 7:30 P .M. in the school auditorium. A full attendance is expected from patrons a s well a s teachers. Visiting Educators will give a special program.

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Conference With Hart Reported At School Board Meet

At the monthly meeting of the school board held Wednesday morning, Superintendent Jerry A. Burke reported his conference with Harris Hart, state superintendent of Schools in which the local Board asked for a state for $12,000 needed to maintain the county schools for the remainder of the year.

Mr. Burke reported that Mr. Hart was sympathetic with the needs of the county and promises to give what aid he might be able to.

Much needed minor improvements which have been made recently at the Appomattox High School were reported at the meeting. A letter was read from the state superintendent asking that the board allow the children in the schools to participate in the sale of tickets for the Washington Bicentennial in 1932, the money to be used for the purchase of the George Washington boyhood home in Stafford County.

The board decided that it would be best to postpone the sale of tickets in this locality for the time until conditions improve. Monthly accounts were approved.

Plane Lands In Sam Page's Field

A mail plane traveling from Atlanta to Richmond landed in a fence below the Sam Page farm last Tuesday afternoon about 4:00 o'clock, after circling the field several times. The plane was not damaged.

The pilot, traveling by radio, lost his base, and decided to land before dark. He took the mail on to Richmond the same night by train. The plane is still in Mr. Page's field.

P. T. A. Will Show Educational Movies

Educational pictures, the first of which was Byrd at the South Pole" will be shown in Appomattox every week-end under the auspices of the Parent-Teacher Association, L. Crawley, principal of the Appomattox School, has announced.

There will be no effort to make a profit on these pictures, however, a ny money cleared on the pictures will be turned over to the Parent-Teacher Association unless one of the school organizations has sponsored the picture.

A large per cent of the smaller children will be admitted to the purely educational pictures free.

"The Virginian" and the "Green Murder Case" are two films s to be brought here in the near future.

Spout Spring

Nov. 12—Mrs. Russel Cawthorn and children have returned home after visiting at Churchhoad.

Miss Sarah Bates, who has been sick is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Wilson spent Sunday at Farmville.

Mr. H. B. Martin, of Lynchburg, and A. A. Steele, of Roanoke, spent Sunday in the home of W. E. Dickerson.

Miss Sarah Dickerson, who has been sick, is very much improved and has returned to her work in Roanoke.

Mr. Eugine Chick has purchased a new radio.

Miss Virginia Holt, who is attending school in Lynchburg, spent the week-end with her parents.

Little Charlie Murry Jones is getting along very nicely, after having his tonsils removed Tuesday.

Mrs. R. H. Bates, who has been sick for some time is able to be out again.

Mrs. H. S. Jones and little son, have returned home after a visit to Mrs. C. R. Morton in Lynchburg.

Joel Flood returned Tuesday from Craig County, where he has been trying some cases.

Byrd Expresses Hope That Pulpwood May Be Moved

SENDS INFORMATION ON EFFECT OF RUSSIAN WOOD ON MARKET

Hope that the purchase of pulpwood in Virginia may be expedited, thus to a great extent relieving the critical situation left by the drouth in many sections of the state, is expressed by former Governor Harry F. Byrd in a letter to the county drouth relief committee.

Information as to the effect the importation of Russian pulpwood has had upon the sale of pulpwood in Virginia, which Mr. Byrd obtained at the request of a number of county committees is contained in the letter.

Governor Pollard has communicated with the purchasers of pulpwood in Virginia urging them to purchase pulpwood in as large quantities as possible, according to the letter.

Former Governor Byrd further writes he is informed that at least one of the purchasers of pulpwood has renewed his contracts two weeks earlier than usual.

Secretary Hyde in a letter to Mr. Byrd writes in part:

"It appears that the quantity of pulpwood imported from Russia has so far been relatively small in comparison with our total imports of pulpwood. Very little of this seems to have reached Virginia.

"All of it is spruce, which competes very little, if at all, with the pine which constitutes the bulk of Virginia's production.

"The difficulty in selling the Virginia wood is probably due more to the general slowing down in the production of pulp and paper, and perhaps especially to the large development of the sulphate pulping industry in the Southern pine region, which has taken place in the last few years."

R. Y. Stuart, national forester, in a report on the pulpwood situation says, according to the records of the Department of Commerce, the first shipment of Russian pulpwood (consisting of only 51 cords) was received in New York in March, 1929. During all of 1929 only 6,481 cords were imported from Russia. No shipments were received during the first six months of 1930, but during the three months ending with September 103,598 cords were imported.

"By far the greater part of this went to the New York, Philadelphia, Boston, and St. Lawrence customs districts. The only shipment of which there seems likely to have reached Virginia mills were those received in the Maryland district, amounting to 3,349 cords in September and 2,029 cords, 6,582 cords in August and September, 1930.

"We are informed that all of the Russian wood is spruce. The total imports of spruce pulpwood in 1928 and 1929 were 1,215,912 cords and 1,116,094 cords, respectively. Previous to 1929, all of this came from Canada and Newfoundland.

"Virginia pulp and paper mills consume relatively little spruce, and the bulk of that was imported from foreign countries (Canada) even before any Russian spruce came in.

"Evidence regarding the effect of Russian imports on the prices of spruce pulpwood is conflicting. We have been informed by persons, who are in a position to know the facts that several mills are paying higher prices for Russian wood than for Canadian or domestic wood. The Russian wood is said to be of sufficiently higher quality to justify this.

"On the other hand, other information (also believed reliable) is to the effect that the Russians are in a position to undersell almost any competition as far as spruce is concerned. It is doubtful, however, if Russia can sell wood at a price as low as the average price paid for Southern pine. The average cost of peeled pine wood, f. o. b. mill, in 1928 (the last year for which figures are available) was $10.00 a cord.

Hunting Season Opens Saturday

Beginning with Saturday, Nov. 15, hunters have open season on all wild game until January 31, with the exception of deer, which is not to be killed after Dec. 31, according to state law.

Bag limits provided on by state law are as follows: Wild Turkey, 2 a day, 6 a season; Pheasants, 4 a day, 20 a season; Quail, 15 a day, 150 a season; Squirrels, 10 a day, 150 a season; Deer, 1 a day, 2 a season.

Sportsmen are warned that diseased ducks are to be found floating in the Potomac near Alexandria, and that any birds killed on the water should be discarded if an abnormal reddening of the intestinal tract is noticed. Birds killed on the wing can be eaten without fear.

Free Chest Clinic To Be Held Saturday

Free chest examinations by a specialist from the state department of health will be given at the Chest Clinic, to be held at the courthouse. Tuesday, Nov. 18.

The clinic is offered by the county health association in co-operation with the state department of health. Examinations for white people will be given from 9:30 o'clock until 12:30 o'clock, in the morning, and examinations for colored people in the afternoon from 2:30 until 4:30 o'clock.

The committee in charge of the clinic are: Miss Eula Mae Burke, Mrs. S. L. Ferguson, Mrs. N. A. Wagers, Mrs. Arthur Irby, Mrs. Jerry Burke, Mrs. David Plunkett, Mrs. W. L. Brown, Dr. C. T. Heimke, Mrs. M. H. Lawson, Miss Zana Patterson Miss Anna Jones and Miss Louise Gills. All the doctors, who will be in the county automatically become members

Two Men To Speak To Farm Council

J. G. Bruce, district agricultural agent, and G. T. Eldon, assistant state boy's and girl's club agent, will make that principle addresses at the annual meeting of the Agricultural Advisory Council, which will be held at the courthouse Next Tuesday at 1 o'clock in the afternoon.

Important matters pertaining to the progress of the county will be discussed at the meeting, according to R. B. Hudgins, county agent, and he urges all members to be present.

Tobacco Growers Meet

Tobacco growers in the county met this afternoon with Col. Grogan, representative of the farm board, and M. K. Green, chairman of the Dark Tobacco Growers Association at the courthouse to hear a discussion of the new marketing co-operative.

The meeting was called by R. B. Hudgins.

This is approximately equal to the cost of transporting wood from Russia to the mills in this country, although an informal report indicates the possibility of delivering Russian wood at the Atlantic Seaboard at about $10.50 per cord. These are average prices for the United States; we do not have separate figures for Virginia.

"At least part of the difficulty in marketing Virginian wood is probably due to the downward trend in the production of pulp and paper. We have no information as to the stocks of wood at the mills. If they have large supplies left from last year, the natural tendency in the face of decreasing production would be to defer further there were some prospect of getting the wood cheaper later on."

Senator Ferguson Pledges Support In Red Cross Drive

Senator S. L. Ferguson yesterday expressed himself as 100 per cent behind the Red Cross drive for membership and ready to give it his support.

Senator Ferguson spoke of the Red Cross as always ready to send aid in every emergency. "No one is perhaps in a position at present to make great donations, but if every one does his share the membership should reach a thousand in the county," he said.

A fundamental, he said, is that the strong shall help the weak. Help may be needed in this county, he added, and in that case the people will need the Red Cross. He also spoke of the efficient summer school, which will investigate all applications and give help where it is really needed.

The chairman for the various districts have been appointed as follows: Miss Eula Mae Burke, chairman of the county chairman, and the drive is now under way. Alfred O'Brien is in charge of the Clover Hill district, with Miss Cornelia Gill as vice-chairman. Mrs. S. M. Thomson is in charge of the Appomattox district, Mrs. S. E. Anderson of the Stonewall district and Claude W. Smith has been appointed treasurer of the drive, and the Rev. W. M. Thompson, chairman of publicity.

Every church community in the county is being organized and the names of the committees will be announced later. A large crowd is expected on Friday night for the meeting to be held at the courthouse at 7:30 o'clock.

Cheese Making Is Shown In Homes

Prof. W. D. Saunders, dairy specialist from the Virginia Polytechnic Institute, has been giving a series of home demonstrations of cheese making.

Mr. Saunders gave his demonstration Monday at the J. O. Dickinson home, Tuesday at the C. E. Carson home and Wednesday at the E. H. Carson home. This morning between 9 o'clock and 12 o'clock he demonstrated the process at Appomattox High School for the benefit of the Smith Hughes boys.

Cheese making in the home is being encouraged at this time because of the milk surplus in the state. The machine in which it is made costs about $30, and R. B. Hudgins, county agent, suggests that farmers buy the machine in groups.

Ten pounds of milk will make about one pound of cheese, and 100 pounds of milk makes between 8 and 12 pounds, depending upon the amount of water in the milk and how high it tests. The cost of making a pound of cheese in the home is around 15 cents.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Nov. 14—Meeting of the Red Cross at 7:30 o'clock in the courthouse. "A Fortunate Family" will be given at Stonewall School.

Nov. 15—Hunting season opens.

Nov. 17—Agricultural Advisory Council meets at the courthouse at 1 o'clock.

Nov. 18—Free Chest Clinic to be held at the courthouse. White people will be examined from 9:30 until 12:30; colored people from 2:30 until 4:30.

Nov. 22—Hi-Y wrestling contest will be held in the auditorium.

Tobacco Average Climbs

The floor average of tobacco on the Lynchburg market last Monday was $9.10. Tuesday it climbed to $12.50. Both prices according to R. B. Hudgins, county agent, are below the cost of production.

The December term of circuit court will open Dec. 3 instead of Dec. 1, Claude Smith has announced.

Supervisors Vote Prison Road Labor

$100,000 Asked For Road To Bent Creek Senator Ferguson Reports

A resolution was passed at the monthly meeting of the Board of Supervisors, Wednesday morning, asking the judge of the circuit court to issue an order whereby prisoners in the county jail may be taken out to work on the district roads under the supervisor of that district.

Senator Ferguson appeared before the board to report his request before the state highway commission last Friday, in which $100,000 to use on the road from Appomattox Court House to Bent Creek. Senator Ferguson suggested that the money be taken from No. 13 in Pittsylvania County, to report on the commission's decision will be made until after Dec. 1.

Two claims for poultry killed by dogs were brought before the council, J. J. Farrar was awarded $18 for twenty hens, which were killed, and J. J. Smith, $10 for 5 turkeys.

Accounts of the members of the board of equalization for time and milage were approved as follows: L. N. Kagon, $9.50; J. R. Hosley, $69.60; E. Smith, $64.90; and C. W. Smith, $87.95. Other accounts approved were: W. S. Taylor, to help employ some one to look after the ferry boat so it will not be lost or damaged, $5; J. W. Flood, balance of salary for year, $150; B. M. Ferguson, overseer of poor, $10. A number of paper accounts, and the election bills for the precincts were also approved.

Hixburg School Closes For Week

School at Hixburg has been closed for one week as a precautionary measure following the development of a case of scarlet fever in one family where there are several children. Lost time will be made up at the close of the term next spring. Miss Mary Trent teaches this school.

Nov. 12—Since the good rain we see the plow has started breaking land for the next years crop of tobacco and corn.

Mrs. Judson Covington, of near Olive Branch, has been very sick with sinus trouble, but is able to sit up at this writing.

Mrs. Witt Goin has about recovered from the effects of scarlet fever.

William Swan, Jr., continues ill with rhumatism so that he cannot leave his room, but is very cheerful and enjoys having his friends call to see him, eleven of whom paid him a visit in last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Marshall took H. M. Jr., to Victoria last week to see a specialist.

Mrs. C. C. Jones spent the week-end in the home of Mr. W. A. Swan.

Great complaint is heard from many of our farmers, who have been selling tobacco on account of the very low prices. Rev. Sam Harwood, of Victoria, and Mr. Alfred Harwood of Appomattox, were recent visitors of their mother, Mrs. Alice Harwood, at the old home place.

Farm Sells For $1.75 An Acre

A 350 acre farm on the north edge of the county joining the Buckingham line sold last Saturday on the courthouse steps for $1.75 an acre, the lowest price received for land in the county in the memory of the oldest inhabitants.

The farm formerly owned by Hardy Kestner is well watered and contains much open land and considerable timber. It was purchased by C. T. Moses and T. W. Moses.

P. O. Hours Change

Appomattox postoffice from now on will open at 7:30 o'clock in the morning and close at 6 o'clock. Sunday hours remain the same.

Lady Fingers

Loving words will cost but little,
Journeying up the hill of life,
But they make the meek and weary
Stronger, braver for the strife.
Do you count them only trifles?
What to earth are sun and rain?
Never was a kind word wasted;
Never was one said in vain.
Sunshine and Roses.

Household Helps

To clean carpets, sprinkle the carpet with tea-leaves; sweep well; then use soap and soft warm water for the grease and dirt spots. This freshens up old carpets marvelously. Rub the wet spots dry with a clean cloth.

If the seats of caned chairs are sagging, turn them upside down, wash well with soapy water, soaking so as to thoroughly wet them, and in drying they will stiffen to almost if not quite their normal condition.

To clean soiled wall paper, take half a loaf of bread and ingently rub the soiled portions, working always in a downward direction. As soon as the bread is soiled cut off a thin slice.

Brilliant Light—A pinch of salt put into the lamps each day they are filled with oil, will cause them to burn with more brilliance.

Good Things to Eat and How to Make them

Cucicen Salad

3 cups cold chicken, cut in cubes
2 hard cooked eggs
1 teaspoon salt
1½ cups celery cut in pieces.

Combine chicken and celery and add salt. Cut up eggs, reserving three or four perfect slices for garnishing. Add eggs to the chicken and celery and mix well with mayonnaise dressing. Mould in salad bowl on bed of crisp lettuce. Garnish with slices of egg and olives.

A Lemon Pie that is different.

Beat yolks of 3 eggs very light. To this add the juice of one lemon and rind of 2 lemons, 3 tablespoons flour and ½ cup of sugar and a large pinch of salt. Cook in double boiler until thick. Have ready crust of eggs stiffly beaten, add ½ cup sugar to them and fold in to cooked mixture. Fill pie shell that has been previously baked, place in oven and brown. This is delicious.

Meat Loaf

1 lb pork and 1 lb beef ground together, flatten out and season with salt and pepper. Mix with 1 cup of canned tomatoes, 1 cup bread crumbs, ¼ of an onion chopped very fine, a little green pepper, chopped finely, and 2 eggs beaten well. After mixing well mould into shape and bake in moderate oven one hour.

Spiritual Thought for the Week

There is no other center for the soul, no other refuge or fortress will ever do for us, but God.... In hours of loss and sorrow, when the spurious props fail us, we are more apt to find our way back to the real refuge. We are suddenly more aware of our shelterless condition, alone, and in our own strength.... We are thrown back upon reality. We have then our moments of sincerity and insight. We feel that we cannot live without resources from beyond our own domain. We must have God.

Rufus M. Jones.

Spout Spring

Nov. 3.—Mr. and Mrs. John Dickerson have returned to their home in Roanoke after visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Wilson spent the week-end in Farmville.

Billy Dickerson, of V. P. I., spent last week-end with his parents.

Many people of this section attended the Hallowe'en parade in Lynchburg last Friday evening.

Misses Sara Bates, Nannie Jones and Lucile Bates spent last week-end in Lynchburg.

Little Charlie Murray Jones, who has been very sick is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Smith and Mr. Richard Smith, of Lynchburg, were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. R. W. Smith.

Mrs. W. H. Robertson has been very sick at her home here.

Social Events

Hackett—Schwalter

Miss Maggie Hackett, sister of Mrs. W. E. Bryant, formerly of this county, was married Oct. 26 to Mr. Marvin Schuwalter, of Washington, D. C.

The wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hackett, near Toga, Va. The Rev. W. J. Saddler, of Buckingham C. H., performed the ceremony.

The bride was gowned in white satin with a veil of rose point lace held in place with orange blossoms, and carried a bouquet of bride's roses and lilies of the valley. Miss Virginia Pugh, of Washington, maid of honor, wore a gown of an chiffon trimmed in lace and carried American Beauty roses. The brides maids, the Misses Hazel and Ruth Hackett wore green & old rose taffeta.

The rooms were beautifully decorated with ferns, evergreen and chrysanthemums. White candles were artistically effective in the archway. Mrs. J. H. Lewis played the wedding march. About seventy-five were present.

Immediately after the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Schuwalter left for a motor trip through the Valley of Virginia and to Niagra Falls. They will make their home in Washington.

About forty young people of the B. Y. P. U. of the Baptist church attended a Hallowe'en party held at the Church last Friday evening. Lucille Crawley and Mary Lea Stratton were in charge of the entertainment.. Mr. Don Moses and the Rev. W. M. Thompson were present.

Mrs. M. G. Willis, Fredericksburg, and Mr. J. L. Heron, of Chicago, were dinner guests of the Misses Nina and Anna Jones last Saturday. Mr. Heron is a writer and lecturer, and Mrs. Willis has a book just off the press.

Cole Boys Entertain

Byron, John, and James Cole entertained their friends last Saturday night with a Hallowe'en costume party at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cole.

The guests were met at the door by Mamie Gaines and contests under the direction of Mrs. J. O. Cole, who was dressed as a witch, were the source of much merriment, and futures were revealed at the future teller's den and in the witch's cave.

The rooms were decorated with autumn leaves and Hallowe'en accessories. James Lagran won the prize for the best costume, and honors in the apple bobbing contest went to James Dorton.

The following guests attended the party: Mamie Gaines, Edith Cole, Willie Guthrie Anderson, Lucile Crawley, Josephine Legrand, Louise Jones, Mary Featherston, Hilda Moore, Susie Plunkett, Jamese and Geo. Langran, Len Smith, Ernest Morris, Garland Plunkett, Nelly Lewis, James Dorton, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cole, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cole, and Miss Emily Harvey, who told the fortunes.

CHEVROLET TO HAVE NEW 1931 MODEL

Cleveland, O., Nov. 3—Definite assurance that Chevrolet will introduce a new car for 1931 on Saturday was revealed here today during the staging by Chevrolet factory officials of the first of fifty dealer meetings to be held in the next five weeks throughout the country.

Included in a carload of equipment brought in for the meeting was a new car substantially bigger than the current model, and extensively changed in appearance.

The car is longer than the present Chevrolet and changes and refinement are so extensive that it has a decided "big car" appearence, one dealer reported.

News, after a visit to their country home at Vera.

Misses Lillian O'Brien and Eunice McNally have been visiting in Prince Edward County.

Mr. Martin Covington and Mr. George Abbitt, who were out by a saw are improving.

Do you have something to sell? Advertise in the Times Virginian.

Advertise your wants in the Times Virginian.

Vera

Nov. 4—Mrs. J. H. Lucado and daughters, of Appomattox, spent Saturday with Mrs. Walter O'Brien.

Mrs. Tommy Evans and baby who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Burnett have returned to their home at Spout Spring.

Miss Lillian O'Brien spent Sunday with her grand mother Mrs. Rosa Abbitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Casey were guests in Vera Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Enrod Conner and baby motored to Lynchburg to visit Mrs. Conner's father, who was operated on for appendicitis.

Mr. C. D. Unrue and family, of Lynch's Station, were visitors at Vera Monday.

Grand Complaint heard from many of our farmers, who have been selling tobacco on account of the very low prices.

Rev. Sam Harwood, of Victoria, and Mr. Alfred Harwood of Appomattox, were recent visitors of their mother, Mrs. Alice Harwood, at the old home place.

Hollywood

Nov. 3—There will be a W. M. U. group meeting at Hollywood Baptist Church Sunday afternoon, Nov. 9. The W. M. U. and Junior organization from Pamplin, Evergreen, Oak Mathew and Hollywood Churches are requested to be present.

Dr. Brumfield, Dr. Farmer and Mrs. Lucy have been visiting the school here. They gave he toxin anti-toxin to 13 children of school age on and toxoid to 15 babies. They also gave he typhoid serum to 9 and accinated 8 for smallpox.

Mrs. Emma Bagby is ill.

Misses Rachel, Ruby and Lillian Ferguson, of Lynchburg, are at home for a few days.

Donald Webb, of near Gold Hill School, cut his finger badly Sunday afternoon while trying to crank a car.

Mr. Judd Kenney, Mr. Monroe Garrett, Mr. T. P. Robertson, and Mr. R. A. Abbitt have all milled a cow lately.

Misses Rachel Gilbert and Della Ferguson, who have been working in Lynchburg, have returned home for a while.

Vera school is worthy rival of Appomattox, having five school busses.

Dr. Brumfield gave the last doses of toxin anti-toxin to the children of Vera yesterday. There were quite a number of children who took treatment.

Miss Hazel Shepherd, of Lynchburg, is a visitor of Della Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Abbitt have returned to Newport News, after a visit to their daughter, Mrs. Jim Webb.

A girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. George White.

Herbert Bagby, of Lynchburg, is spending the week with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Hix and family, Mrs. J. H. Marshall and Mattie Marshall, Eugene Sears, J. S. Marshall, Coffixburg, and T. H. Singleton, of Darlington Heights, were guests of Miss Vivian Clark the fourth Sunday afternoon.

Vera

Nov. 4—Mrs. J. H. Lucado and daughters, of Appomattox, spent Saturday with Mrs. Walter O'Brien.

Mrs. Tommy Evans and baby who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Burnett have returned to their home at Spout Spring.

Miss Lillian O'Brien spent Sunday with her grand mother Mrs. Rosa Abbitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Casey were guests in Vera Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Enrod Conner and baby motored to Lynchburg to visit Mrs. Conner's father, who was operated on for appendicitis.

Mr. C. D. Unrue and family, of Lynch's Station, were visitors at Vera Monday.

Grand Complaint heard from many of our farmers, who have been selling tobacco on account of the very low prices.

Rev. Sam Harwood, of Victoria, and Mr. Alfred Harwood of Appomattox, were recent visitors of their mother, Mrs. Alice Harwood, at the old home place.

Farm Sells For $1.75 An Acre

A 350 acre farm on the north edge of the county joining the Buckingham line sold last Saturday on the courthouse steps for $1.75 an acre, the lowest price received for land in the county in the memory of the oldest inhabitants.

The farm formerly owned by Hardy Kestner is well watered and contains much open land and considerable timber. It was purchased by C. T. Moses and T. W. Moses.

P. O. Hours Change

Appomattox postoffice from now on will open at 7:30 o'clock in the morning and close at 6 o'clock. Sunday hours remain the same.

WINNING RECIPE

Fried Green Tomatoes

Slice green tomatoes, dip in flour and fry slowly in hot grease. Add salt, pepper and a sprinkle of sugar. When brown, turn and fry until tender. Serve hot.

Mrs. H. B. Marshall

The Times Virginian will give a brightly laquered recipe file every week for the best recipe which is entered in the weekly contest by the preceeding Tuesday. The contest is open to all who wish to compete, and no restriction are placed on the type of recipe entered.

Hollywood

Nov. 3—There will be a W. M. U. group meeting at Hollywood Baptist Church Sunday afternoon, Nov. 9. The W. M. U. and Junior organization from Pamplin, Evergreen, Oak Mathew and Hollywood Churches are requested to be present.

Dr. Brumfield, Dr. Farmer and Mrs. Lucy have been visiting the school here. They gave he toxin anti-toxin to 13 children of school age on and toxoid to 15 babies. They also gave he typhoid serum to 9 and accinated 8 for smallpox.

Mrs. Emma Bagby is ill.

Misses Rachel, Ruby and Lillian Ferguson, of Lynchburg, are at home for a few days.

Donald Webb, of near Gold Hill School, cut his finger badly Sunday afternoon while trying to crank a car.

Mr. Judd Kenney, Mr. Monroe Garrett, Mr. T. P. Robertson, and Mr. R. A. Abbitt have all milled a cow lately.

Misses Rachel Gilbert and Della Ferguson, who have been working in Lynchburg, have returned home for a while.

Vera school is worthy rival of Appomattox, having five school busses.

Dr. Brumfield gave the last doses of toxin anti-toxin to the children of Vera yesterday. There were quite a number of children who took treatment.

Miss Hazel Shepherd, of Lynchburg, is a visitor of Della Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Abbitt have returned to Newport

ANNUAL REPORT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

Appomattox County School Board of the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1930

RECEIPTS

From State Fund:	
General Appropriation	$25,396.92
High Schools	825.06
Elementary Schools	2,016.00
Rural Supervision	700.00
Vocational Education	3,061.62
Total from State Funds	$31,999.54
From County Funds:	
County Levy	$36,011.81
Appropriation	1,200.00
Balance at beginning of year	3,588.93
Total from County Funds	$40,800.74
From Other Funds:	
Slater Fund	400.00
Appropriation from Supervisors for one-half basic salary Superintendent	820.00
Tuition Private source	63.50
From other Counties	966.33
Rents and Rebates	148.21
Sale of Equipment	77.00
Donation for school libraries	153.95
Other Donations	90.77
Total from other funds	$ 2,719.76
Grand Total of Receipts and Disbursements	$75,520.04

DISBURSEMENTS

Administration:	
Expenses of School Board and Per Diem	$ 300.00
Salary—Clerk of Board	450.00
Salary of Superintendent from Supervisors	820.00
Traveling expenses—Superintendent	212.31
Salary—Secretary	62.33
Office equipment and supplies	151.57
Express, Freight and Drayage	13.95
Postage, Telephone and Telegrams	59.67
Other Expenses of Administration	26.95
Total for Administration	$ 2,096.78
Instruction Regular Day Schools	$47,631.16
Other Instruction Cost:	
Textbooks Furnished Free to Children	41.23
Vocational Education Supplies	150.51
General Supplies	30.21
Other Expenses—Instructional Cost	90.80
Total for Instructional Cost	312.75
Coordinate Activities Including Compulsory Attendance:	$ 450.00
Auxiliary Agencies:	
Transportation of Pupils by Contract	$12,313.36
Truck repair and upkeep	18.50
Libraries	210.00
Tuition Paid Other Livisions	411.78
Other Auxiliary Agencies	218.04
Total for Auxiliaries	$13,171.68
Operation:	
Wages of Janitors	$ 1,069.15
Fuel and Water	1,838.13
Lights and Power	137.30
Janitors' Supplies	278.31
Total for Operation	$ 3,322.89
Fixed Charges: Including Rent, Ins., Treas. Commission	$2,872.99
Maintenance: Including repair bldgs., up-keep of grounds, repair and replacement of Furniture and Equipment and new buildings	3,769.55
Total Payment on Debts (Including Interest)	1,716.92
Balance at Close of Year	175.52
Grand Total Of All Disbursements and Balances	$75,520.04

The above is detailed statement of Receipts and Disbursements of the Appomattox County School Board for the past session and should b of interest to all citizens.

Respectfully Submitted,
J. A. Burke
Superintendent of Schools

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